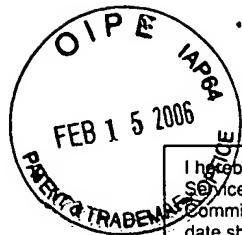




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In response to the Final Office Action dated January 6, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows.

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